

## LOCAL MENTION

Perfect weather.

Mrs. Ed Lotz is reported on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Albert Smith is improving from a serious illness.

Mrs. P. D. Hoch spent Sunday with Mrs. Dorilla Hohn, of Route 1.

School Supplies at Klein's.

Miss Esther Cundiff, of Desloge, visited home folks here last week.

Miss Gertrude Black is reported improving, after a serious illness.

Miss Alice Johnson, of Steno, visited her brother, Henry Johnson, the past week.

Miss Julia Burlow entertained for Elmer Sittner Monday evening at a weiner roast.

James Hicks arrived home Saturday night from Illinois, where he has been working.

E. M. Laakman left Tuesday morning for a few days visit to his old home in Vincennes, Ind.

Pickling Spices at Klein's.

Aubrey Haley, of St. Louis, spent the week-end with his brother, D. Haley, of Route 2.

B. H. Boyer left Sunday for Marble Hill, where he is attending to several cases in circuit court.

Rye, Alfalfa and Timothy Seed at Klein's.

Mrs. Julia Wulfert left Tuesday afternoon for St. Louis, where she will make her future home.

Miss Ada Hicks left the first of the week for a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. F. Bess, in St. Louis.

Mrs. T. A. Burnette returned from New Madrid, where she visited her mother, Mrs. D. C. Henry.

Mrs. Henry Tyfol, of Route 6, visited her mother, Mrs. Kreiger, in this city Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Maggie Menge left Tuesday morning for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Smoot, in Palmyra, Mo.

Mrs. John Beard, of Womack, visited her sons, J. E. and Wm. Beard and families the last of the week.

Mrs. Margaret Roux returned Tuesday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Luther Smith, at Leadington.

Elmer Sittner, who is employed in St. Louis, came in Saturday night for a few days' visit with A. Bartels.

Miss Annabel Craig, who has been visiting home folks, left Sunday for St. Louis, where she has employment.

Mrs. R. G. Vaughan, of Clarksburg, Mo., arrived the first of the week for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Billie Benson.

Miss Virginia Castleman accompanied her father, L. F. Castleman, on a business trip he made to Leadwood Tuesday.

The Denby sisters have purchased the Doughty lots, facing College avenue, and expect to erect a residence on them soon.

Mrs. E. N. Edwards, of Bismarck, is at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Albert Smith, who is recovering from a long and serious illness.

Finer weather than that meted out to this Southeast section of Missouri at present, as well as during the whole summer season, does not exist.

Misses Dee Allen McKinney and Mary Jane Henderson went to Fredericktown Tuesday to attend the marriage of Miss Estelle Menteer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Whiteside and son, William, of St. Louis, came down recently to visit Mr. Whiteside's sister, Mrs. W. D. Styers, of Route 5.

Dr. A. O. Smith and Dr. G. W. Watkins left Tuesday on a hunting and fishing trip into Washington county. They will return the last of the week.

Mrs. E. J. McKinney and Mrs. E. H. Orear went to Fredericktown Wednesday to attend the wedding of Miss Estella Menteer. Mrs. Orear sang at the ceremonies.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Buck and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, who have been visiting relatives and many old friends here the past several weeks, will leave today for their home in Houston, Texas.

Mrs. John Gall received word last week that her brother, George Lacey, was seriously burned when a pipe exploded. He is now in the Highland Sanitarium, Shreveport, La. The latest report is that he is improving.

Mrs. Nellie Marbury was called to Mineral Point Thursday by the death of her brother, Phil Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Watson left Monday morning for Marion, Ill., to spend the week with relatives.

Temporary headquarters of the Chamber of Commerce have been opened in the old Bank of Farmington building.

Attorney and Mrs. Hood and children, of Perryville, passed through Farmington Saturday on their return home from an extended auto trip through Southwest Missouri and Oklahoma.

Mrs. C. L. Stubbs, of Blodgett, left Tuesday for home, after a visit with her mother, Mrs. S. C. Watts. She was accompanied by her son, Charles, who left Sunday to enter a military school in Alton, Ill.

Eugene Mayes, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mayes, died Monday at their home at Iron Mountain, of summer complaint. The funeral occurred Tuesday. The child was 11 months and 22 days old.

The Parent-Teachers' Association will hold their next meeting in the high school building on Friday, Sept. 17th, at 3 p. m. All mothers who are interested in the work being done by that organization, for their children's benefit, are urged to attend this meeting.

Mrs. Emma Karsch, nurse in the Baptist Sanatorium in St. Louis, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ed. Klein. Mrs. Karsch has recently had charge of the nursing of Mrs. Klein's little daughter, Dorothy Mae, who is reported to be getting along nicely. She is recovering from a broken arm.

Robert Lloyd, son of Mrs. Anna Lloyd of this city, who for some time past has been working for the Lincoln Housing Trust, in their district offices in Cape Girardeau, arrived here the last of the week to spend his vacation period with his mother and many old Farmington friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Doughty and son, John and wife, of Chicago, motored from Chicago last week, arriving here Sunday for a visit with relatives and many friends. They were for many years previous to moving to Chicago residents of this city, where Mr. Doughty was once postmaster.

Claude A. Eaton, the former popular and efficient Bank Examiner in this district, who is now cashier of the United States Bank in St. Louis, stopped off in Farmington Wednesday for a brief visit with many old friends. He was on his way to attend a District Bankers' Association meeting in St. Louis.

Circuit Judge Peter H. Huck drove in Sunday morning from his home in Ste. Genevieve, spent a few hours with friends and caught the noon train on the Belmont branch for Marble Hill, where he convened the regular September term of the Bollinger county circuit court Monday morning. He was accompanied from Farmington by Taylor Smith, court stenographer.

J. M. Strong, who has recently been given the route which includes Farmington as Bank Examiner, has been inspecting the Farmington banks this week. Mr. Strong, whose home is in Jackson, is a very pleasant and agreeable gentleman. Our information is that he is also unmarried, so we are expecting soon to learn that his field of activity in Farmington is enlarging.

The 12th annual DeSoto Fair, held last week, has been pronounced a success, both in regard to exhibits and attendance, despite the rainy weather. The Times hopes that another year will not be permitted to go by without a Farmington Fair week being established. No county in the state is better prepared than is St. Francois for the putting on of a creditable Fair.

Miss Ceva Hicks entertained the Junior B. Y. P. U. at her home Monday night. Many games were played and refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Ceva Hicks, Edith and Joy Kite, Alva Conway, Francis and Annabel Whittier, Mary and Ada Hicks, Grace and Blanche Mund, Alma Voile, Ethel Menge, Messrs. Lee Orten, James Hicks, Russell Meyer, Roscoe and Alvin Woodward, Clarence Cunningham, Elmo Drake, Leonard Voile, Virgil, Milton, Earl Byington, Paul Whittier, Elbert Menge and Vernon Yeager. All enjoyed a pleasant evening and departed only when the lights were extinguished about the middle of the night.

Be ready to join with zeal and energy in the big membership drive for the Farmington Chamber of Commerce next Tuesday, from 10 to 12 o'clock. Two hundred members, with a yearly budget of \$5,000, is the mark aimed at—and it should be reached. But it will require knowledge of the work to be performed, as well as a feeling of confidence in the ability of the newly organized Chamber of Commerce to accomplish. When these things are accomplished, then the big work will be accomplished. The material is in Farmington and St. Francois county to swell the membership of this organization to 200 and more. But it will require organized effort to enlist a united support.

## PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES

The opening week was one of the best in the history of the Farmington schools. Teachers and pupils were enthusiastic and energetic from the very opening day, and excellent work was done. Eight rooms had perfect attendance throughout the week and no room fell below 98.5 per cent in attendance for the week. The following teachers report perfect attendance for the first week of school: Miss Nellie Halter, Miss Jessie Akers, Mrs. Annie Lloyd, Mrs. G. B. Gale, Mrs. Alma Rider, Mrs. Annie Murrill, Miss Helen Chenault, and Miss Jessamine Hail.

An excellent school spirit prevails in the High School department. It is an almost daily occurrence for some high school teacher to report one or more incidents wherein some pupil has voluntarily assumed important responsibility, or willingly accepted some hardship for the common good of the school. This is an important factor in school management, and one that is gratifying to both pupils and faculty. Farmington has a most excellent class of young people in her high school and upper grades, and the teachers are justly proud of them.

The High School Orchestra has organized and begun practice for the year under the supervision of Dr. Jno. B. Graves, who so successfully led them last year. Dr. Graves' connection with the H. S. Orchestra is peculiarly gratifying, since he is also President of the Board of Education and vitally interested in everything that is good for the school. The public will doubtless have an opportunity to hear the Orchestra often the coming year.

The foot ball boys are undergoing some strenuous training daily and rapidly rounding into a smoothly-working machine. The team has recently received a new recruit from McKinley High School, St. Louis, who is working beautifully in his position. His work indicates that he will rival some of the old start the team lost through graduation last spring. Games have been scheduled with Desloge, Flat River and Perryville high schools and negotiations are under way with other high schools. A fine series of games is assured and a successful season is promised. The first game of the season will be with Desloge H. S. on Saturday, Sept. 25th.

A number of ardent supporters of High School Athletics, among the good citizens of Farmington, have recently secured a very valuable donation for the benefit of the High School Athletic Treasury. That sum of money had previously been donated by local lovers of athletic sports to further the cause of base ball in Farmington and vicinity, but had not yet been applied. The names of the donors will be given in full in a coming announcement. The boys and girls in the high school are elated over the generosity of their friends and are anxious to show their appreciation by athletic skill in the coming games.

An important meeting of the St. Francois County Inter-School Activities Association was held in the high school building at Flat River last Saturday afternoon. This was the annual meeting of the Association and every high school in the county was represented by authorized delegates and a number of the schools sent visiting delegates. Supt. O. J. Mathias was elected president to succeed Supt. B. F. Melcher of Bonne Terre. Supt. D. E. Abernathy of Esther was elected vice-president and Principal D. H. Haldaman of the Farmington H. S. was re-elected secretary-treasurer. A new Activities Committee was appointed to arrange athletic schedules for the coming year. Several new Constitutional Amendments were presented and a called meeting will be held at the same place next Saturday afternoon to take action upon them.

## SUGAR GROVE

Miss Mary O'Bannon of Farmington is spending this week with her uncle, T. F. O'Bannon.

Mrs. E. G. Williams received the sad news of the death of her sister, Mrs. Belle Holly, of Flat River, last Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. Biffle of Bismarck visited with Mrs. D. E. Hartshorn from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Helen Haynes spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Anna Schilling.

Miss Blanche Pinkston went to St. Louis Sunday.

John and Oscar Rion spent Sunday with Rev. R. C. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Buff and children, Mr. and Mrs. Straughn and children of Cantwell and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Haynes and baby of Electric Place spent Sunday at the home of J. H. Byington.

Mrs. Carr Hartshorn and children of Elvins and Mrs. Fanine Tohman and Bert Beal, Jr., of Farmington, visited with Mrs. D. E. Hartshorn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Horton spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Noltkemper.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Sept. 9—Roy Leeman Straughn, of St. Louis, and Ida Mae Gallagher, of Flat River.

Sept. 9—Price Cooper and Laura Stallings, both of Bessville, Mo.

Sept. 11—Eugene Jones, of Frankfort, and Susie Degrant, of St. Louis.

Sept. 13—Jesse S. Nieuhaus, of Modoc, Randolph county, Ill., and Garnett A. Lively, of Bonne Terre.

## NEW GOODS are Arriving

I have just returned from the St. Louis markets, where I made heavy purchases of fall and winter goods, which include many splendid Dress Patterns, Men's Furnishing Goods and Shoes.

Have also made large and splendid additions to my line of Staple and Fancy Groceries.

My recent big Clean-Up Sale, which was a great success, has enabled me to make room for these big purchases, which now enables me also to offer to customers a large stock of absolutely new goods, which were purchased at prices that enables me to offer them at lower prices than before.

When you want anything, either in Dry Goods or Groceries, we will both lose money if you fail to call and inspect my well selected stock and get my prices.

Yours to please,

A. C. BOYD, Farmington, Mo. Phone 58

## SUNDAY AT THE CHURCHES

Lutheran Church  
H. Hallberg, Pastor.

Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity.  
Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.

Preparatory service for Communicants at 10 a. m.

Preaching service with Holy Communion at 10:30 a. m.

Ladies' Aid meets at 3:30 p. m.

M. E. Church  
W. S. Courtney, Pastor.

The usual Sunday services. Morning subject: "A Serious Charge Disproved." In the evening (7:45) the children will have a part, after which the pastor will give a short "children's sermon."

A very cordial invitation to all.

## CHAMP RUNNER AIMS AT LEONARD CROWN



Jole Ray, American's champion mile runner wants to conquer new worlds. He made the U. S. team and went to Belgium to compete in the Olympic games, but strained a tendon and did not start in the classic. Now he says he is going to enter the ranks of professional boxers—in the light-weight ranks—133 pounds—and after Benny Leonard's crown.

## Willard

"STORAGE BATTERY" A MISNOMER

"According to the experts, a storage battery doesn't store electricity at all," says C. M. Thomsen, Willard Service Station dealer, "but the term describes the piece of automobile equipment well enough so that everybody knows what you mean."

"What really happens inside the battery is a chemical change involving the lead, lead compounds, and the acid of the solution. This chemical change is forced along by the charging generator. As soon as the battery is called on to light the lights, spin the starter or do any other work, the chemical energy is released and produces the required electricity."

"Though the process is quite complicated, the battery is remarkably simple and needs little attention. As long as the charge is kept up to above the 1.250 mark on the hydrometer, and the battery solution is kept 8-8 of an inch above the tops of the insulators, the car owner can feel that he is giving proper attention to this vital part of his car."

Cards have been received by Farmington friends of Miss Lillian Gillespie, of St. Louis, announcing her marriage on Friday, Sept. 10th, to E. Van Wilkinson, of St. Louis.

## Classified Ads.

LOST—One iron gray mare, about 15 hands; small scar on inside of front foot; age, coming 7 years. Joe Courtois, Flat River, Mo. Phone 621.

LOST—Near Monarch Theatre, Thursday evening, Sept. 9th, a Phi Gam fraternity pin, with "A. F. Mills, '18" engraved on back. Reward for return to this office.

FOR SALE—Cook Stove, burns wood. Mrs. Annie Lloyd, Farmington.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Rooming house, well located for the business; 10 rooms, 2 baths; fine business. See J. S. Clay, Farmington, Mo.

FOR SALE—One 8-room house with sleeping porch; steam heat, bath, electric lights and telephone. T. F. Lockridge, Farmington, Mo. 37-2t

FOR SALE—Pair iron gray mares, 5 years old, thoroughly broke; wagon and harness; \$300 buys all. Cash or time, with bankable note and interest. W. H. Graham, Iron Mountain, Mo. 37-2t

FOR SALE—Splendid cottage, with three large rooms, well equipped bath, closet, fine large porch, storage house, coal house, garage, large and well improved lot, in one of the best residence districts of Farmington. Will go cheap for quick sale. Apply to Times office.

FOR SALE—120 acre farm, 1 mile southeast of Knob Lick; good improvements; 2 wells, cistern and running water; 70 acres in cultivation. \$3,000; terms to suit purchaser. Address E. P. White, Knob Lick, Mo. 32-4

## MAKE BIG MONEY Muskrat Farming

Furs bringing top-notch prices. No experience necessary. Small investment, quick returns. Send 50c (no stamps) for full information. CEDAR ISLAND FUR FARMS, P. O. Box 142, Crisfield, Md.

CLERKS—(men, women) over 17, for Postal Mail Service. \$135 a month. Examinations September and October. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars, write R. Terry (former Civil Service Examiner) 1123 Continental Bldg., Washington, D. C.

FOR SALE—The old Clardy Home-

stead, 150 acres, on St. Louis rock road, 5 miles north of Farmington; 4 miles to Lead Belt; fine springs, pastures, stone milk house, three hen houses (two of them new), large barn, other out-buildings, 8-room house. For terms apply to Frances E. Boord, Route 1, Foley, Mo. 36-3t

WANTED—Girl to do general house work, steady place, no laundry, \$6.50 per week. Call or write W. L. Bouchard, Desloge, Mo.

FOR SALE—An 80-acre farm, 35 acres in cultivation; about 9 acres of growing corn; located half-mile south of Sprott, Mo. Also farming implements. For further information call on or address L. C. Pritz, Route 5, Box 65, Farmington, Mo.

## LOCAL MARKET REPORT

Prepared by McAttee Produce Co., Who are Paying the Following Prices Today:

Eggs, per dozen	49c
Hens, per lb	23c
Old Geese, per lb	16c
Stags, per lb	12c
Old Ducks, per lb	12c
Ducks, per lb	18c
Spring Chickens, per lb	24c
Leghorn Spring Chickens, per lb	19c
Light Hens	17c
Guineas, each	25c
Veal Calves, per lb	10c to 12c
Lard, per lb	20c
Hides, per lb	9c
Bacon, per lb	20c to 21c
Hams, per lb	30c to 32c
Shoulders, per lb	18c to 20c
New Potatoes, per bu.	\$1.75 to \$2.00
Muscovy Ducks, per lb	10c
Copper, per pound	5c
Bones, per 100 lbs	25c
Brass, per pound	5c
Rags, per 100 lbs.	\$1.00
Lead, per lb	2c
Zinc, per lb	2c
Aluminum, per lb	10c
Inner Tubes, per lb	2c
Good Butter, per lb	45c
Packinb Butter, per lb	35c
Rubber, per lb	2c
Iron, per 100 pounds	25c
Auto Casings, per lb	14c

If every citizen will work earnestly for Farmington Then Farmington will work more earnestly for all



PUT OUR GOODIES IN THE CHILDRENS LUNCH BASKETS

The little ones going to school need nourishing foods for their growing bodies. Their lunch should be wholesome but not "heavy." Heavy food makes the children drowsy and they lose interest in their school work. Come in and see the things we have for their school lunch—cookies and dainty things for sandwiches that will please and nourish them. GIVE US YOUR GROCERY ORDER TODAY.

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